IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re Application of: Cornelius Borst et al.

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TEMPORARILY IMMOBILIZING A LOCAL AREA OF TISSUE

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